IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA MARTINSBURG

CARLOS FERNANDEZ CAICEDO-ORTIZ,

Petitioner,

v. CIVIL ACTION NO.: 3:23-CV-9

(GROH)

WARDEN R. BROWN,

Respondent.

ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

Now before the Court is a Report and Recommendation ("R&R") of United States

Magistrate Judge Robert W. Trumble. Pursuant to this Court's Local Rules, this action

was referred to Magistrate Judge Trumble for submission of a proposed R&R. Magistrate

Judge Trumble issued his R&R [ECF No. 15] on May 16, 2023. Therein, Magistrate Judge

Trumble recommends that the Petitioner's § 2241 petition [ECF No. 1] be denied and

dismissed without prejudice.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(C), this Court must conduct a *de novo* review of the magistrate judge's findings where objection is made. However, the Court is not required to review, under a *de novo* or any other standard, the magistrate judge's factual or legal conclusions to which no objection is made. Thomas v. Arn, 474 U.S. 140, 150 (1985). Failure to timely file objections constitutes a waiver of *de novo* review and of a petitioner's right to appeal this Order. 28.U.S.C. § 636(b)(1); Snyder v. Ridenour, 889 F.2d 1363, 1366 (4th Cir. 1989); United States v. Schronce, 727 F.2d 91, 94 (4th Cir. 1984).

Objections to Magistrate Judge Trumble's R&R were due within fourteen days of

service. 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1); Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b). The R&R was mailed to the

Petitioner by certified mail on May 16, 2023. ECF No. 15. The Petitioner accepted service

on May 23, 2023. ECF No. 16. To date, no objections have been filed. Accordingly, this

Court reviews the R&R for clear error.

Upon careful review and thoughtful consideration, it is the opinion of this Court that

Magistrate Judge Trumble's R&R [ECF No. 15] should be, and is hereby, **ORDERED** 

**ADOPTED** for the reasons more fully stated therein. Therefore, the Respondent's Motion

to Dismiss [ECF No. 9] is GRANTED and Petitioner's § 2241 Petition [ECF No. 1] is

**DENIED** and **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**.

This matter is **ORDERED STRICKEN** from the Court's active docket. The Clerk

of Court is **DIRECTED** to mail a copy of this Order to the pro se Petitioner by certified

mail, return receipt requested, at his last known address as reflected on the docket sheet.

**DATED:** July 20, 2023

UNITÉD STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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